

Suspension—Proceedings Postponed: The House debated the following measure under suspension of the rules. Further proceedings were postponed:

Authorizing the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program at fiscal year 2006 levels through 2012: H.R. 3546, to authorize the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program at fiscal year 2006 levels through 2012.

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Commission on the Abolition of the Transatlantic Slave Trade—Appointment: The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of the following members on the part of the House of Representatives to the Commission on the Abolition of the Transatlantic Slave Trade: Mr. Donald Payne of Newark, New Jersey; Mr. Howard Dodson of New York, New York; and Ms. Evelyn Brooks Higginbotham of Cambridge, Massachusetts.

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Intent to Offer Motion to Instruct Conferees: Representative Kirk gave notice of his intent to offer a motion to instruct conferees on H.R. 4040, to establish consumer product safety standards and other safety requirements for children's products and to reauthorize and modernize the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

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Senate Message: Message received from the Senate today appears on page H5800.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H5841–42, H5842–43, and H5843. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 12:30 p.m. and adjourned at 9:47 p.m.

Committee Meetings

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Legislative Branch approved for full Committee action, as amended, the Legislative Branch Appropriations for Fiscal Year 2009.

OIL PRICE SPECULATION

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations continued hearings on Energy Speculation: Is Greater Regulation Necessary to Stop Price Manipulation?—Part II. Testimony was heard from Walter Lukken, Acting Chairman and Commissioner, CFTC; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 2008

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies, business meeting to mark up proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2009 for Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and related agencies, 11:30 a.m., SD–138.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: to hold hearings to examine climate change impacts on the transportation sector, 10:30 a.m., SR–253.

Full Committee, business meeting to consider S. 2907, to establish uniform administrative and enforcement procedures and penalties for the enforcement of the High Seas Driftnet Fishing Moratorium Protection Act and similar statutes, an original bill entitled, "The National Aeronautics and Space Administration Authorization Act of 2008", an original bill entitled, "The National Sea Grant College Program Amendments Act of 2008", and promotion lists in the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and the United States Coast Guard, 2:30 p.m., SR–253.

Committee on Finance: to hold an oversight hearing to examine trade functions, focusing on customs and other trade agencies, 10 a.m., SD–215.

Committee on Foreign Relations: business meeting to consider H.R. 176, to authorize the establishment of educational exchange and development programs for member countries of the Caribbean Community (CARICOM), H.R. 2553, to amend the State Department Basic Authorities Act of 1956 to provide for the establishment and maintenance of existing libraries and resource centers at United States diplomatic and consular missions to provide information about American culture, society, and history, S. 2120, to authorize the establishment of a Social Investment and Economic Development Fund for the Americas to provide assistance to reduce poverty, expand the middle class, and foster increased economic opportunity in the countries of the Western Hemisphere, S. 2166, to provide for greater responsibility in lending and expanded cancellation of debts owed to the United States and the international financial institutions by low-income countries, S. 3097, to amend the Vietnam Education Foundation Act of 2000, S. 3168, to authorize United States participation in the replenishment of resources of the International Development Association, S. 3169, to authorize United States participation in, and appropriations for the United States contribution to, the eleventh replenishment of the resources of the African Development Fund, and international Convention Against Doping in Sport, adopted by the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization on October 19, 2005 (Treaty Doc. 110–14), certain pending nominations, and promotion lists in the Foreign Service, 2:15 p.m., S–116, Capitol.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: to hold hearings to examine the emergence of the superbug,